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MEMORANDUM

To: Dale McHard *DMC*
From: J. M. Conlon
Subject: Sooner Dial Company, Clinton, Oklahoma

On December 12 and again on December 13, 1966, this writer contacted Mr. Charles E. Owens, General Manager of Sooner Dial Company, to inquire as to the status of the clean-up and initiation of protective measures as recommended by Robert Craig following his inspection of the user's dial refinishing operation on June 23, 1965, and to arrange for a follow-up visit on December 20th, 1966.

In the initial conversation, Mr. Owens indicated that the shop areas were being refinished with epoxy resin paints; the use of radium paints had been discontinued in this facility; monitoring of suspected areas in the plant had been performed with a Civil Defense CDV700, before it was "borrowed or stolen;" and that disposal of the radium wastes was being held pending receipt of some information from this office.

When this writer's activities on December 13, 1966 prevented his visiting the Sooner Dial Company, Mr. Owens was contacted by local telephone, and the aforementioned subject discussed in somewhat greater detail. During this second conversation, Mr. Owens was informed that the department would forward a reiteration of the items discussed during Mr. Craig's inspection in June of 1965, and during his telephone conversation with this writer.

Specific recommendations and information are included in the correspondence attached for your review and signature.

It is suggested that Mr. Craig review the correspondence to assure that this writer has not confused the problem too much.

JMC:PL
cc Mr. R. L. Craig

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